

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2316
OFFERED BY MR. CONYERS

Page 2, strike line 3 and all that follows through page 4, line 5 (and conform the table of contents and redesignate the succeeding provisions accordingly).

Page 4, line 21, strike “Clerk” and insert “Committee on Standards of Official Conduct”.

Page 7, strike lines 5 through 9 (and redesignate the succeeding provisions accordingly).

Page 16, line 13, strike “clauses (ii) and (iii)” and insert “clauses (ii), (iii), and (iv)”.

Page 16, strike line 23 and all that follows through page 17, line 5 and insert the following:

1 “(ii) EXCEPTION FOR CERTAIN TAX-
2 EXEMPT ASSOCIATIONS.—In the case of an
3 association—
4 “(I) which is described in para-
5 graph (3) of section 501(c) of the In-
6 ternal Revenue Code of 1986 and ex-
7 empt from tax under section 501(a) of
8 such Code; or

1 “(II) which is described in any
2 other paragraph of section 501(c) of
3 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986
4 and exempt from tax under section
5 501(a) of such Code and which has
6 substantial exempt activities other
7 than lobbying with respect to the spe-
8 cific issue for which it engaged the
9 person filing the registration state-
10 ment under section 4,
11 the association (and not its members) shall
12 be treated as the client.”.

Page 17, line 15, strike the closing quotation mark
and the period that follows.

Page 17, insert after line 15 the following:

13 “(iv) NO DONOR OR MEMBERSHIP
14 LIST DISCLOSURE.—No disclosure is re-
15 quired under this Act if it is publicly avail-
16 able knowledge that the organization that
17 would be identified is affiliated with the
18 client or has been publicly disclosed to
19 have provided funding to the client, unless
20 the organization in whole or in major part
21 plans, supervises or controls such lobbying

1 activities. Nothing in this paragraph shall
2 be construed to require the disclosure of
3 any information about individuals who are
4 members of, or donors to, an entity treated
5 as a client by this Act or an organization
6 identified under this paragraph.”.